5th March 1955]

SRI S. RAMALINGAM :—" அந்தக் கடனை கம்பெனியிடமிருந்து வசூல் செய்வதற்கு அதனிடம் பெறுமானமுள்ள சொத்து இருக்கிறதா ? "

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM :—" அதைத்தான் தமிழிலேயே நான் சொன்னேன். மானேஜிங் ஏஜெண்டுகள் உத்தரவாதம் கொடுத்திருக்கிறார்கள். அதனால் அந்தத் தொகையை வசூல் செய்துவிடலாமென்று சொன்னேன்."

SRI V. R. NAGARAJAN :—" May I know how many silicate industries are there in our State and whether Silicate Industry is an established industry? "

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM :—" I would like to have notice."

Co-operative House Building Societies

* 1103 *Q.*—SRI V. R. NAGARAJAN (on behalf of Sri K. Aranganathan) : Will the Hon. the Minister for Health be pleased to state—

(*a*) the various Co-operative House Building Societies in the State; and

(*b*) the total amount of loan sanctioned up to 1954 by Government to these societies?

THE HON. SRI A. B. SHETTY :—" (*a*) As on 30th June 1954 there were 170 Co-operative Housing Societies in the State. A list of these societies is not readily available.

" (*b*) During the year 1953–54 an amount of Rs. 53·58 lakhs has been sanctioned as loans. Separate figures regarding loan sanctioned to these societies before 1953–54 in the Composite Madras State are not available."

Attappady-Chinnathadagam road

* 1104 *Q.*—SRI K. C. GOPALAN UNNI : Will the Hon. the Minister for Public Works be pleased to state with reference to the answer to question No. 861, given on 17th May 1954—

(*a*) whether the estimate for the construction of Attappady-Chinnathadagam road has been prepared and sanctioned; and

(*b*) if not, the reasons for the delay?

THE HON. SRI R. SHANMUGA RAJESWARA SETHUPATHI :—" (*a*) & (*b*) A detailed estimate has been prepared and the work will be taken up for execution after the Government of India approve the estimate."

Special Industrial Tribunal for Estate workers

* 1105 *Q.*—SRI N. K. PALANISAMY : Will the Hon. the Minister for Agriculture be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether an Industrial Tribunal was constituted to enquire into the condition of the estate workers in the State;